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In re Application of :
Srinivas GUTTA et al. :
Application No. 09/821,183 : **DECISION ON PETITION**
Filed: March 29, 2001 :
Attorney Docket No. **US010105** :

This is a decision on the renewed petition under the unintentional provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed May 13, 2008, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The application became abandoned for failure to timely reply within the meaning of 37 CFR 1.113 to the final Office action, mailed March 09, 2007, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on June 10, 2007.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of an amendment, (2) the petition fee of \$1540, and (3) a proper statement of unintentional delay. Accordingly, the reply to the final Office action of March 09, 2007 is accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

The petition fee of \$1540 included with instant renewed petition was unnecessary and is being credited to the Deposit Account 14-1270.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Tredelle Jackson at (571) 272-2783.

This application is being referred to Technology Center AU 2623 for appropriate action on the concurrently filed amendment.

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